

REMARKS

The Examiner has required Applicant to restrict this application to one of the following inventions:

- I. Claims 1-10, drawn to a method of assembling carbon nanotubes, classified in Class 423, subclass 455R;
- II. Claims 11-16, drawn to an assembly of carbon nanotubes, classified in Class 428, subclass 408; or
- III. Claims 17-21, drawn to an apparatus, classified in Class 264, subclass 56.

Applicant hereby selects Invention I, set forth in claims 1-10, and drawn to a method of assembling carbon nanotubes, classified in Class 423, subclass 455R. Applicant reserves the right to submit any Divisional patent applications directed toward the non-selected invention.

An early action on the merits of this application is respectfully requested. Should any points remain in issue, which the Examiner feels could best be resolved by either a personal or a telephone interview, it is urged that Applicant's local attorney be contacted at the exchange listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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